

**PATENT**

Attorney Docket No.: A-57004-4/RFT/JJD

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<u>In re</u> application of:	)	Examiner:	J. ZARA
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Archana KAPOOR, et al.	)	Group Art Unit:	1635
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Serial No.: 09/432,820	)		
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Filing Date: 2 November 1999	)		
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For: <i>Membrane-Associated</i>	)		
<i>Immunogens of Mycobacteria</i>	)		
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 30, 2001. This response is being filed with a petition and fee for a two month extension, making this a timely response. While Applicants believe no fees are due at this time, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fees, including extensions, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1600 (File No. A-57004-4/RFT/JJD/AMS).

**Please amend claim 24 and claim 25 as follows:**